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AMENDMENT TO THE "BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF DRAWINGS":

Please enter the following amendment:

Please replace the last 3 paragraphs (lines 10-16) of page 3 of the specification with the following.

Please note that the semi-colon (;) of line 13 is to be deleted, and the period (.) of line 15 is to be moved to the new amended line 13.

Figure 3 illustrates the block data section of Fig. 1 in further detail, in accordance with one embodiment; and

Figures 4a-4c illustrate the stream data section of Fig. 1 in further detail, in accordance with one embodiment; and

Figure 5 illustrates a bit-wise view of the mapping section of Fig. 1 in further detail, in accordance with one embodiment.

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REMARKS

The above referenced patent application has been reviewed in light of the Notice of Drawing Inconsistency With Specification, dated June 21, 2005, in which:

 the specification was objected to as creating an inconsistency between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings.

Reconsideration of the above referenced patent application in view of the foregoing amendments and the following remarks is respectfully requested.

Claims 1-30 are now approved the above referenced patent application. No claims have been amended, cancelled, or added.

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1. Inconsistency Between The Drawings And The Brief Description Of The Drawings

The PTO has objected to the specification as creating an inconsistency between the drawings and the Brief Description of the Drawings. The PTO notes that the Description of the Drawings cite 5 figures, while only figures 1-4c have been submitted.

Applicants note that this reference to Figure 5 was inadvertently included in the submitted draft of the Application. Applicants note that, outside of the Brief Description of the Drawings, no other reference is made to Figure 5 within the specification.

Applicants have therefore, deleted this paragraph, and, they believe, have placed the Application in condition for allowance.

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CONCLUSION

In view of the foregoing, it is respectfully asserted that all claims pending in this application, as amended, are in condition for allowance. If the Examiner has any questions, they are invited to contact the undersigned at 503-264-7002. Reconsideration of this patent application and early allowance of all claims is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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